

RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Please enter the amendment as shown. Applicants have amended claim 11 to correctly state the status identifier. Thus, claims 1-22 are pending in the application. The current status of all claims is shown in the claim amendment section of this amendment.

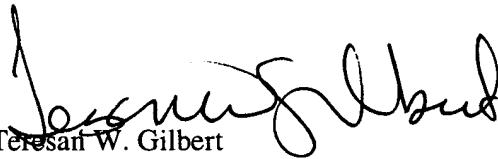
The amendment to claim 11 obviates the notice of non-compliance. Accordingly, Applicants submission of the entire Amendments to the claims is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121.

For the foregoing reasons, it is submitted that the present claims are in condition for allowance. The foregoing remarks are believed to be a full and complete response to the outstanding office action. Therefore, favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested. If for any reason the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, it is respectfully requested that she call Applicants' attorney at (440) 347-5072.

Any required fees or any deficiency or overpayment in fees should be charged or credited to the Lubrizol Corporation Deposit Account No. 12-2275.

Respectfully submitted,

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